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For: BOTTLE CAN MEMBER, BOTTLE, AND
THREAD FORMING DEVICE (AS
AMENDED)

FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.